

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

In the following amendments to the specification, blank lines are not counted.

Please insert the following heading as a new paragraph after the heading and before the first paragraph starting at page 1, line 2:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please insert the following heading as a new paragraph before the paragraph starting at page 2, line 23:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 10 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Such a winder clearly reduces work and saves time when the sheet width is changed ~~change~~. In addition, it is no longer necessary to keep contacting rollers of different lengths in readiness.

Please insert the following heading as a new paragraph before the paragraph starting at page 5, line 21:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Please insert the following heading as a new paragraph before the paragraph starting at page 6, line 15:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 2 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure 2 shows a horizontal, longitudinal section through the winder of Figure 1 at the level of the contacting roller level,

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 15 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure 1 shows part of a cross section through an inventive winder with a contacting roller 10, which presses a sheet 12 against a core 13 of a reel 14. The core 13 of the reel 14 is held with chucks 16, which can be driven, between two roller arms 18.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 6 with the following rewritten paragraph:

In the image ~~plain~~ plane of Figure 1, several coaxially disposed subsidiary roller segments 34 (Figure 2), with, in each case, a contacting mechanism 36 with an oscillating link 38 and a pneumatic cylinder 40, which are mounted at a longitudinal strut

42 at the oscillating link 26, are located behind the main roller segment of the contacting roller 10, which is shown in cross section.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 17 with the following rewritten paragraph:

In Figure 5, different configurations of the winder with ~~width~~, in each case different sheet widths are sketched. Figure 5a shows a configuration with one contacting subsidiary roller segment. Figure 5b shows a configuration with two contacting subsidiary roller segments and Figure 5c a configuration with four contacting subsidiary roller segments.